

In the Specification:

Please replace the current title in the application with the following title:

Streptomyces Culture Media Comprising Clavulanic Acid and Pharmaceutical Compositions.

Please replace the current Abstract in the instant application with the separately attached abstract.

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence:

This is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/018,806 filed February 4, 1998 now abandoned, which claims priority of GB9702218.0 filed February 4, 1997.

Please delete pages 13-29 of the specification.

Please add the following Brief Description of the Drawings at page 2, line 26:

Brief Description of the Drawings

Figure 1: Nucleotide sequence of the *S. claviger*us chromosome including and flanking cas1

SEQ ID NO:1 - a 7193bp DNA sequence which is the DNA sequence of Figure 1

SEQ ID NO:2 - the DNA sequence of orfup3

SEQ ID NO:3 - the DNA sequence of orfup2

SEQ ID NO:4 - the DNA sequence of orfup1

SEQ ID NO:5 - the DNA sequence of orfdwn1

SEQ ID NO:6 - the DNA sequence of orfdwn2

SEQ ID NO:7 - the DNA sequence of orfdwn3

SEQ ID NO:8 - the DNA sequence of primer 11

SEQ ID NO:9 - the DNA sequence of primer 12

SEQ ID NO:10 - the DNA sequence of primer 13

SEQ ID NO:11 - the DNA sequence of primer 14

SEQ ID NO:12 - the DNA sequence of the CAS orf

SEQ ID NO:13 - the predicted partial amino acid sequence of the polypeptide encoded by orfup3

SEQ ID NO:14 - the predicted amino acid sequence of the polypeptide encoded by orfup2

SEQ ID NO:15 - the predicted amino acid sequence of the polypeptide encoded by orfup1

SEQ ID NO:16 - the predicted amino acid sequence of the polypeptide encoded by orfdwn1

SEQ ID NO:17 - the predicted amino acid sequence of the polypeptide encoded by orfdwn2

SEQ ID NO:18 - the predicted partial amino acid sequence of the polypeptide encoded by orfdwn3

SEQ ID NO:19 - the amino acid sequence of CAS